

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Archaeology & Museums - Establishment of Regional Museums of Buddhist Heritage at Buddhavanam, Nagarjunasagar - Transfer of antiquities from Dr.YSR.A.P. State Museums, Hyderabad, other Museums and sites in A.P. to Buddhavanam - Orders - Issued.

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YOUTH ADVANCEMENT TOURISM AND CULTURE (PMU) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 965

Dated:- 22-12-2012

Read:

From the Chairman & Managing Director, APTDC, Hyderabad
LR.NO.APTDC/B1/04/2012, Dated: 12-12-2012.

ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Chairman & Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Tourism Development Corporation has requested the Government to instruct the Director, Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad to transfer the antiquities and art objects selected by the committee constituted by her from Dr. Y.S.R. A.P State Museums and District Museums, Pangal, Nalgonda District to the Regional Museum of Buddhist Heritage, Nagarjunasagar and also to relieve Sri M.Swamy Naik, Technical Assistant, Directorate of Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad to receive above objects from the respective Museums and to work at Buddhavanam, Nagarjunasagar under the supervision of the Assistant Director, Mahaboobnagar and to list out some more objects from difference Museums and sites for display in the Regional Museums of Buddhist Heritage.

2. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby issue the following orders to the Director of Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad for further action.

- a) The Director, Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad is permitted to transfer the listed objects from Dr.Y.S.R. A.P. State Museums and District Museum, Pangal, Nalgonda District to the Regional Museum of Buddhist Heritage at Nagarjunasagar.
- b) The Director of Archaeology & Museums is permitted to relieve and to instruct Sri M.Swamy Naik, Technical Assistant, Directorate of Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad to take over the listed objects from the above Museums and to install at Buddhavanam under the supervision of Assistant Director, Mahaboobnagar (who is in charge of Mahaboobnagar & Nalgonda District) and the Museum Curator, Buddhavanam, Nagarjunasagar. The Pay and allowance of Sri M.S.Swamy Naik, will be drawn by the Director of Archaeology & Museums, Hyderabad until further orders.
- c) The Director, Archaeology & Museums is permitted to authorized the Committee Constituted to list out some more objects like Terracotta/Stucco objects, Figurines, Beads, Pottery, Iron Objects, Bangles, pertaining to Buddhist heritage and coins(25) each of Mahatalavaras, Satavahanas, Ikshvakus and Vishnkundins, Silver Punch Marked coins and Roman Gold coins(12 Nos) from Dr.YSR A.P., State Museums other Museums and Buddhist sites and to handover to Sri M. Swamy Naik for display in the Museum at Nagarjunasagar.

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3. The Director of Archaeology & Museums shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**CHANDANA KHAN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (T)**

To
The Director, Department of Archaeology & Museums
The Chairperson & Managing Director,
Andhra Pradesh Tourism Development Corporation,
Hyderabad (for information).

Copy to:

PS to Special Chief Secretary to Government (for information)
PS to Hon'ble Minister for T&C (for information)
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